

Resolution No. 09-04 - Creating an Economic Development Task Force

City Council

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RESOLUTION NO. 09-04 WEST LINN, OREGON

A RESOLUTION OF THE WEST LINN CITY COUNCIL CREATING AN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT TASK FORCE

WHEREAS, due to the recent economic recession many businesses throughout the nation are suffering; and

WHEREAS, businesses in West Linn are having a similar reaction to the nation's economic events; and

WHEREAS, the City of West Linn, through it Comprehensive Plan, Community Development Code and Municipal Code, regulates the time, place and manner in which businesses can develop, and how businesses can operate; and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to review how the City regulates businesses and in what ways the City may be able to be of greater assistance to the business community;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Council takes the following actions:

Section 1: Creates an Economic Development Task Force consisting of seven members appointed by the Mayor, with the approval of the Council;

Section 2: The Task Force will have the responsibility to review and make recommendations to the City Council concerning the City's role in:

- Economic development
- Enhancement of business prosperity through various means such as physical improvements to the City's commercial districts
- Enhancement of business prosperity through possible Community Development and Municipal Code amendments
- Planning and supporting events that attract local customers from the community as well as visitors to West Linn
- Other areas that the Task Force believes would be in keeping with the objectives of this resolution

Section 3: The Task Force will also review and make recommendations concerning methods by which the City's role in enhancing business prosperity can be funded such as local business districts, the Main Street program, and urban renewal districts.

Section 4: The Task Force will consider recommendations contained in "Sustainable West Linn Strategic Plan" the West Linn Comprehensive Plan and "Imagine West Linn" during its review of opportunities to enhance business prosperity in West Linn.

Section 5: The Task Force will solicit input from the business community, the West Linn Chamber of Commerce, the League of West Linn Neighborhoods, and other organizations as part of its due diligence in fulfilling its mission.

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Section 6: The Task Force will provide a written report of its findings and recommendations to the City Council by December 31, 2009 at which time the Task Force will cease to exist.

Section 7: This resolution is effective upon passage.

This resolution is adopted this 23rd day of February 2009.

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